

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

TARGET HUNGER



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\$426,000 was granted to Target Hunger, in partnership with the Rebuild Texas Fund, which serves low-income and underserved clients with food assistance. Target Hunger's programs and services aim to address hunger and food insecurity within inner city neighborhoods across Houston's northeast triangle – an area where more than 30% of people live below the federal

poverty line. Target Hunger was located in the Langston Family Life Center for more than 20 years but moved in March 2018 due to the deterioration of the facility and the impact of Hurricane Harvey. These funds will support TH's purchase of equipment to fully restore and enhance operations in the new leased warehouse site as well as the purchase of a mobile food pantry to bring food closer to clients.

Status: The new warehouse location launched in May 2019 and the mobile food pantry were operational by August 2021. As a result of this grant, Target Hunger helped seven non-profit organizations in their nine zip code service area, supporting approximately 118,500 client visits and serving 45,400 individuals.

100% of funds have been disbursed.

BLUE RIDGE PARK SOCCER FIELDS



A \$2 million grant was granted to Harris County to fund the construction of four regulation-size youth soccer fields and one practice field at Precinct One's Blue Ridge Park, which is located just south of the greater Meyerland/Southwest Houston neighborhoods that experienced some of the most significant flooding in Harris County. The fields will be the first development in the Blue Ridge Park area, fulfilling an unmet community need for accessible recreational green space that also serves as a flood control mitigation basin that will help reduce the risk of future flooding events for residents living in the Sims Bayou Watershed.

Status: Construction got underway in January 2021 and is scheduled to be completed in **the spring of 2022**.

As of September 2020, approximately 86% of funds have been disbursed.

RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL



\$2,500,000 was granted to Harris County towards the renovation and reconstruction of the Riverside Hospital Project in Houston's Third Ward neighborhood. Medical facilities in the Third Ward were damaged during Hurricane Harvey, reducing healthcare services and support to the area. The newly-named Riverside Center will bring much needed medical care, substance abuse support and many other physical and mental health-related services to the area, which has been significantly underserved since the storm.

Status: Demolition began October 1, 2018. **Renovation of the three historic buildings is scheduled to begin in 2023 and be completed in 2025**. 100% of funds have been disbursed

"Not only are you giving a gift that helps our area recover from Harvey, you're giving a gift that's going to serve generations and generations to come."

Ed Emmett, Former Judge, Harris County

HOUSING

HOUSTON HABITAT FOR HUMANITY



\$1,339,654.45 was granted to Houston Habitat for Humanity to repair 26 homes in Harris County damaged during Hurricane Harvey. Houston Habitat for Humanity repairs the hurricane-damaged homes of low-to moderate-income homeowners who lack the resources to fund the repairs themselves. Home repairs are also

designed to strengthen resiliency and preparedness to minimize the impact of future floods.

Status: Twenty four homes were repaired by the end of 2021.

All of the grant funds have been disbursed.